GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4438
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COMPENSATION TO FORCES
AMAR ROY PRADHAN

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) Whether there is any Central or State Government Fund which is reserved exclusively to protect the families of Delhi Police, CRPF and BSF personnel;

(b) If so, the details of funds being paid to each of the personnel of Delhi Police and BSF, category-wise;

(c) Whether the Government propose to provide the funds to the families of personnel of Delhi Police, CRPF and BSF, who die in action or while performing official duties;

(d) If so, the details thereof; and

(e) If not, the reasons therefore?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (CH. VIDYASAGAR RAO)

(a) to (e): So far as Central Para Military Forces which also include BSF/CRPF are concerned, the existing Government guidelines provide for ex-gratia compensation to the Next of Kins of Government servants, irrespective of ranks as under:-

a) Death occurring due to accident in the course of performance of duties.	Rs. 5 Lakhs
b) Death occurring in the course of performance of duties attributable to act of violence, anti social elements	Rs. 5 Lakhs
c) Death occurring (a) enemy action in international war or Border skirmishes and (b) action against militants, terrorist, extremists	Rs. 7.5 Lakhs

The funds are released to various CPMFs out of grants-in-aid allocated by the Government for this purpose.

Similar facilities are available to the Next of Kins of Police Personnel of Delhi Police as per the extant orders issued by Government of NCT.